

RALLY NIGHT.

Stirring Republican Talks
at the Tabernacle.

By Cannon and Jewell--Parade by
the Marching Clubs--Encourag-
ing Assurances of Help for
a Public Building for
Decatur.

The rally held last evening at the tabernacle by the Republicans was a stirring one. There was a big street parade to begin with and later the tabernacle was crowded with people who gathered to hear addresses by Congressmen Joseph G. Cannon, chairman of the house committee on appropriations, and John W. Jewell, editor of the Danville News. There was plenty of enthusiasm and the meeting was a good one in every respect.

The procession formed in front of the postoffice. The members of the Sound Money league club with their yellow umbrellas and torches and the members of the Mills Marching club, recently organized, were in line. Headed by Goddard's band and the Republican drum corps, they marched about the city and went to the tabernacle.

The Meeting.

The band played several patriotic selections at the tabernacle before the speakers were introduced. Among those who were on the platform were Hon. J. R. Mills, Republican candidate for congress, John Allen, chairman of the Republican county committee, Postmaster W. F. Calhoun, Major J. G. Badenhausen, Dr. S. J. Bunnstead, Attorney James O. Mara, Attorney W. B. Tyler, Attorney John Fitzgerald, Attorney John A. Brown, Attorney Alexander McIntosh, Attorney W. H. Black, City Attorney J. M. Lee, Alex. McGorray, Joe Miller of Blue Mound, the Republican candidate for county treasurer, and County Clerk J. M. Dodd, Dr. Majors and Rev. Archibald.

Introduced.

John Allen, chairman of the county central committee, called the meeting to order. He announced that on next Saturday evening Congressman McCleary of Minnesota would make an address and invited everyone to be in attendance. He introduced as the chairman of the evening Postmaster W. F. Calhoun, who addressed the audience as follows:

"As announced in the newspapers this evening it was expected that Mayor Taylor would be present to introduce the speakers but he is unable to get away from the council meeting. The first speaker will be a man whom you all know and who at one time represented Macon county in congress. I introduce Hon. Joseph G. Cannon of Danville.

Cannon's Speech.

Mr. Cannon, who was received with great applause, spoke substantially as follows: We came together here and elsewhere to take counsel under the existing circumstances as to what should be done. It shall be determined by the majority of the people early next November. These are times for serious thoughts, frank and fearless discussions and honest expressions of opinion. I come to you in that spirit and I hope you will accept my message in the same spirit. From 1892 to 1893, which was from the close of the Harrison administration to the close of the Cleveland administration, was a journey from prosperity to disaster. The way stations were idle mills, suffering women, want of employment, decreasing wages. I stand now at the age of 60 years, but I cannot remember any four years accompanied by so much gloom and dreariness from a business standpoint. In 1893 both parties stopped for the contest. A party that was entirely new to the people came out. They captured the machinery of the old Democratic party and wrote upon the banners the false teachings of Populism. They were under the leadership of Albigel, but the voice was the voice of Bryan. They said to give them power and they would give us a balm to heal all wounds free silver at the ratio of 16 to 1. We said that we would raise the revenues, and renew the old policies of the Republican party and we would have the prosperity which always accompanies the Republicans. We said that if you would give us power we would elect McKinley and there would be no flat money. You gave us the power, and McKinley was elected and made president. (Applause.) We had a house with a Republican majority of 40 and a senate which was not Republican.

Confidence.

"The president did not wait long but called the special session and we passed the Dingley bill speedily and promptly. It was presented to the senate and stayed there for a while. The people demanded that it be passed and finally it was put through and became a law of the land. Since McKinley was elected there has not been a month, week or day that confidence has not grown. Money is good in all parts of the country. Day by day labor has received better employment at slowly increasing wages. The amount of men employed has increased 28 per cent and wages have increased 19 per cent and steady employment has been given. (Applause.) This same condition exists on the farm, on the railroad and in the factory and mine. We have increased the revenue under the legislation we have also increased the consumption. The people buy more clothes and pay for them easier than they did. I could prove this fact by the honorable competitor of Mr. Mills if he were made to take an oath. The consumption of other articles has increased the same. It is because the people have the wherewith to buy more than they did. The railroad business has increased and it is because more people are traveling and because the people are buying from each other more of those things which must be transported.

"Two years ago the Bryanites said that under the gold standard money would be scarcer. Do you know that there are now \$350,000,000 more of gold in circulation than in 1896. It came from the old hiding places and it is because the balance of trade has been in our favor and gold has come from the other countries to the United States to bless the people and give them joy. (Applause.) Our money is all as honest as the gospel and like the gospel it is good wherever it goes.

Foreign Trade.

"Our foreign trade, like our home trade, is better. The imports in 1893 amounted to \$780,000,000, while in 1892 they were but \$610,000,000, which means that we have bought from other countries \$164,000,000 less in 1893 than we did in 1892. We have consumed more products in 1893 than in 1892 but the decrease in the imports is because we have used the products of our own factories. We have sold to other countries in 1893 \$889,000,000 and in 1892 we have sold \$1,341,000,000, which means that we have sold \$452,000,000 more of our products in 1893 than in 1892, and have bought \$164,000,000 less. We have not only sold the products of our farms but we have also sold the products of our ships. For the first time since the Pilgrims landed, thank God, we have sold \$58,000,000 more of our products to the countries of the world than we have bought from them. Tin plate is a good example. In 1891 we bought \$35,000,000 from foreign countries while this year we have bought but \$5,000,000. We make it ourselves now and not only use it ourselves but sell it to the world.

Prosperity.

"The populists ask where the prosperity is. They say people are dying and men are being taken to the poor house. Well, people will keep on dying. The entire human race dies ever few years. Prosperity is coming with a firm, majestic step, in spite of what the Democrats say. I will not call them Democrats, but Populists for such old Democrats as Jefferson and Jackson would rise up and prosecute them. Things can be quickly destroyed. You can in a few moments take the life of one of these young men but it would take a number of years to raise another young man from the infant. You can burn a building down in an hour or your whole city can be destroyed by fire in half a day but it will take you years to build it up again. The Populists have stirred up such a fuss that it will not only take McKinley's first administration but his second one also to straighten things out. (Applause.) I am not talking about prosperity to men who are in a hole 1000 feet deep and expect to be on bound to jump out and light on the edge of a snail's cloud and float into eternity. I thank God that in 1896 the savings of the widow were not taken from her and that the pensions of the soldiers were not cut in two. The Populists voted to cut them in two but the Republicans and the old style Democrats voted against it.

About the War.

"We have had a war; you all understand that. Some thought we were not swift enough in declaring war. It is a terrible thing and when one is representing the people in such a serious thing they must watch their footsteps. I do not believe in war unless it is to defend the country or to bring about conditions which will result in lasting prosperity. When the Maine exploded the feeling of the president and congress was the same. We thought it unbearable and we began to get ready. There were many things to do. We needed guns for the navy and ammunition for both the army and navy. I believe with-out boasting that in five years we could have 3,000,000 men drilled and could fight not only Spain, but France, Germany and the whole of Europe. The man you had for president had to look over the entire ground. It was necessary not to get entangled with other countries. One country was placed here and one there so they would be divided up. I had much rather fight one man than three or four. The president understood this and there was not a moment lost from the time the Maine was blown up until war was declared. I had the honor of moving the first appropriation for the war. The president was not quite ready but on a Sunday night he said everything was ready and the appropriation went through.

Dewey's Work.

"Dewey was in Hong Kong, a neutral port. By rail and water the government hurried to Dewey the ammunition which was necessary for him and his brave men to accomplish their great victory. You can't find even a Populist who will not say that McKinley did right in that matter. With the ammunition that was sent him and with what coal he had on hand, 8000 miles away from home, Dewey went to Manila, took the coal and whipped the Spanish. (Applause.) "I glory in war only as it is necessary to the security and honor of the country. The ways parted and war was declared. It was a sad day for me when the Maine blew up and it was a sad day when war was declared.

"The time had come when we must dominate this continent. It had to come sooner or later, but I will be honest with you. At the age of 22 years I must confess that I would rather have had it come 20 years later when I was dead and gone and had others take the step. But the Maine was blown up and the ways parted and we chose our way. What is there in it? Porto Rico, Spanish driven off of this continent and Cuba freed. But I am glad that the United States refused to recognize a government in Cuba which it was found that did not exist. There now stands in the way we have chosen the pacification of Cuba. The burden falls upon us to enforce the law and prevent pestilence. What else stood in the way? Hawaii with the beautiful harbor of Honolulu. We annexed the islands by dispensing with the two-thirds vote of the senate and passed an act of congress. The Republicans and the old Democrats like Morgan voted in favor of it. Dewey was 8000 miles away from home, but when he got the ammunition the president had sent him he took Manila and as sure as water runs and the grass grows the harbor of Manila, the island of Luzon, and in my opinion, the entire Philippines will be a part and parcel of the United States. (Applause.)

Nicaragua Canal.

Another thing in the way is the Nicaragua canal. I have never been for it until now. I was against it because it was in Central America, a country of fever and a place where they have a revolution every six months. But with Porto Rico and Hawaii we need it to assist our commerce. That canal will be constructed, and by the United States, not by permission, but what we have laid the equivalent for that strip of land which reached from the Caribbean Sea to the Pacific ocean. You remember that trip of the Oregon when she steamed from San Francisco around the Horn. That was enough to make the people realize the need of the canal. And yet you can find some men who try to dominate the great party of the country. Here and there you find a man who says no. Bryan says no, but the Republicans say yes and so do the real Democrats. It will cost money of course, but it is needed.

New Territory.

"Some say that they cannot find in the constitution anything which warrants the Republic acquiring any territory, but we acquired Louisiana from France, Florida from Spain and also the big territory from Mexico. Washington said to be careful and not become entangled with acquisition of territory. We were then a nation of 3,000,000 people struggling on the coast. We are now a nation of 75,000,000 souls ready to enter into the markets of the world with the produce of our men and women. They can't stop us; just as well try to dip up the ocean with a teaspoon.

Larger Army.

"We have got to have a navy and an army. Some say to rely on the citizen soldiers in times of emergency. The citizens make good soldiers but it takes time to train them. I still believe in the citizens as soldiers for there was never a more noble army in the world than the volunteers who were mustered out after the civil war. When the war with Spain broke out we had a regular army of 25,000 men. There was a call for 300,000 and we had no trouble in getting them. The war did not last long enough for them to become battle stained like the citizens who fought in the civil war, but they deserve credit and were a fine lot of soldiers. But they will soon be mustered out. "We have new lands which it is our duty to protect. We must keep law and order and to do it we must have soldiers. We should have a regular army of 100,000 men enlisted for five years, and then we could go out to those foreign countries and show the world that this republic can take care of herself. There are plenty of clear headed and clean limbed young men who would join the army and I am inclined to think that many of the colored men would join for most of the fighting done at Santiago was done by the colored regulars, who could lay in the trenches without any danger of fever. I don't mean to take any credit from the Rough Riders or any of the white soldiers. I think that General Shafter landing his troops in a foreign country as he did and fighting in a fever stricken place, accomplished one of the greatest military feats the world has known. (Applause.)

Public Building.

This is going to be a year of public buildings. We have got the money now and there are about 50 cities which will get public buildings. Decatur deserves it. I understand that Mr. Caldwell is going to be around and setting them up and not coming out and saying much of anything in public. This is not a year to let a man beg his way into an office. Let both the Republicans and the Democrats see to it that Mr. Mills is elected and sent to Washington with a power of attorney sealed and signed delegating him to vote for a new army, the Nicaragua canal, the acquisition of the Philippines and everything that is in harmony with McKinley and against everything that W. J. Bryan stands for. Decatur ought to have a public building, one which the government would own from the ground up and over which the American flag should float. I have been in congress since 1878, excepting for two years. There are 350 cities the size of Decatur without public buildings. Andrew J. Hopkins got one for Aurora, Worthington got one for Peoria and General Singleton got one for Quincy."

Five Reasons.

In closing the speaker said, turning to Mr. Mills, who was on the platform: "Mr. Mills, you will be elected, and I think you will get the public building for Decatur for five reasons. First, Decatur deserves it; second, the revenue is sufficient to warrant it, third, the population is large enough; fourth, it is a magnificent little city, and fifth because, Mr. Mills, I think they would a good deal rather let you have your way than to fight you. (Applause.) "Don't forget to get out and cast your ballot. You would never forgive yourself if you failed to elect a congress that would not be in harmony with McKinley for the next two years and you would never forgive yourself if you failed to elect Mr. Mills to represent you. Without Bryan and Bailey to obstruct our progress we will go on making history the next two years as we have in the past two years."

At the conclusion of his speech Mr. Cannon was greeted with most hearty applause and he was frequently interrupted during the course of his remarks.

Jewell's Speech.

Hon. W. P. Jewell of Danville was next introduced. He said that his train didn't leave until 12 o'clock and he would promise not to talk later than that hour. The issues of the day had been covered by the previous speaker and he would not add anything further than to say that he didn't want to see Macon county get frost bitten. He said the Republicans had gotten things not in the old town and that they wanted to keep things hot until after the election. He said Mills would in congress grind out just the kind of grit the people wanted and listened to Joe Cannon, the two would make a team that could pull up any stump in the Sangamon river. He spoke of Mr. Cannon's strength in congress and said that he was glad Macon county had started him in that business. After making some reference to the war with Spain the speaker urged that the people of Macon county elect a Republican congress to help McKinley and also re-elect Mr. McKinley two years from now.

Both addresses were well received by the attentive audience.

Reception for Pastor.

The Christian Endeavor society of the United Brethren church will give a social and reception at the church this evening in honor of Rev and Mrs. M. H. Spayd to welcome the pastor and his wife to another year with them in the work of the church.

OUR SHIP IS AFLOAT

Warship 'Illinois' Launched
at Newport News.

Miss Nancy Leiter of Chicago Christens the Powerful Ship With Sparkling Champagne--Description of the Vessel.

NEWPORT NEWS, VA., Oct. 4.—It precisely 12.33 o'clock, Miss Nancy Leiter, standing queenly in a light gray suit on the bow of the Illinois, surrounded by Gov. Tanner and his staff, and her immediate relatives in the presence of 50,000 spectators, as the great ship was cut loose from the last block wheel and plunged into the waters of the James, broke a bottle of champagne which was encased in a silver netting on its prow, and in a clear musical voice said "I Christen thee Illinois." As the crash of the breaking glass was heard the multitude sent up a cheer, which for duration and volume has not been excelled in this State during its existence. The shipyard was gayly decorated with bunting and the Illinois was a mass of flags. The cheers of the multitude were almost silenced by the booming of cannon and the noise of a thousand shrieking whistles. The Illinois is pronounced by naval experts the greatest fighting machine, ever built. This evening President Orent, of the firm that built the Illinois, will give a banquet at the Chamberlain hotel, Old Point Comfort, to the invited guests. The list of notables will contain the names of many distinguished in Illinois and in the nation.

DESCRIPTIVE.

The keel for the Illinois was laid a little over two years ago. The Illinois is a double turret battleship, length 368 feet and over all 373 feet and 9 inches. Extreme breadth 27 feet 2 1/2 inches. Mean draught, with 800 tons of coal, or two-thirds of stores and two-thirds of ammunition, is 23 feet and 6 inches. There is twenty feet of freeboard at the bow and thirteen feet three inches at the stern. The armor belt is Harveyized. She carries two pair of propelling engines with an estimated collective horse power of 10,000 indicated and a corresponding speed of sixteen knots. The area of the midship section is 1,613 square feet and of the load water plate 19,900 feet. The propelling machinery weighs 1,128 tons and the armor and bolts in her 2,749 tons.

TO-DAY'S NEWS.

Senator Mat. Quay and his son, Richard R. Quay, former state representative, are charged with conspiracy to rob the state of Pennsylvania. Both were admitted to bail in the sum of \$5,000. Friends of the accused say it is a case of persecution inspired by a disappointed politician named Graham.

Col. W. J. Bryan, who was at Richmond, Va., yesterday, was surprised to receive an order to return to his regiment at Jacksonville, Fla., at once.

Gen. Garcia, former commander of the Cuban forces, is now an agent of the United States government at a salary of \$500 and expenses. He will go through Cuba and conduct negotiations to disband the insurgent army.

The Masonic fraternity of all Europe call for a revision of the Dreyfus case in the interest of justice and humanity.

Col. Casimer Andel, of Belleville, commander of the Fourth Illinois regiment, now at Jacksonville, Fla., has been found guilty of giving wrong commands, and the sentence of the court martial is suspension from command for six months, forfeiting one-half of his pay for that period.

CAMBON'S SUCCESSOR.

PARIS, Oct. 4.—The Figaro states that Count DeAubigny, new French charge d'affaires at Munich, will replace Cambon as minister to the United States, and that Cambon will go to Madrid. These changes, the paper says, were decided upon at yesterday's cabinet council.

Financial standing of the church were made by Rev. A. W. Hawkins and talks were given by the following ministers: Rev. W. H. Pansallegon, pastor of the First Presbyterian church; Rev. W. O. Miller of the Congregational church; Rev. Marion Stevenson of the Edward Street Christian church; Rev. M. B. Spayd of the U. B. church; Rev. J. J. J. of Grace Methodist church; Rev. Frost Craft of the First Methodist church; and Rev. S. H. Bowyer of the First Baptist church. The ministers referred to the building of the new church and congratulated the congregation on their work.

SERVED DINNER.

As there were quite a number of country people in attendance they had been invited to bring their dinner and eat in the basement of the church. This was done and the ladies of the church served coffee to all who wished to stay.

EVENING SERVICE.

Another Large Congregation was in Attendance at the Church.

In the evening the church was again crowded. The services opened with the singing of a hymn entitled "I Love Thy Kingdom, Lord." Scripture was read by Dr. Fullerton and the choir sang an anthem entitled "The Lord is King." After which Rev. W. L. Bankton of Blue Mound offered a prayer. Sherman M. Colwell sang a solo entitled "Jerusalem" followed by the singing of a hymn "O Spirit of the Living God."

Dr. Fullerton then preached a sermon in which he spoke of missions, mission work and the spreading of the gospel. The raising of the funds was then taken up by Dr. Darby and about \$500 was subscribed. When all but about \$50 had been raised it seemed difficult to get the balance. Rev. Hawkins announced that he had kept one subscription in reserve, given by W. T. Moffett of Blue Mound. It was for \$150 and this made more than the needed amount. In all \$500.11 had been raised during the day and the church was entirely out of debt.

The church was formally dedicated by Rev. A. W. Hawkins. One of the trustees in behalf of the board presented the new building to the church and the pastor read a formula dedicating the building, the congregation sang a hymn, "Blow Ye the Trumpet, Blow," and the dedicatory prayer was offered by Rev. W. H. Pansallegon pastor of the First Presbyterian church. Rev. Mr. Hawkins made a few remarks thanking the people of the city and congratulating the members of the church for their work, and after the Doxology Dr. Fullerton

closed the services at 10:15 o'clock, with the benediction.


CORONER'S OFFICE

Has Been Fitted with New Furniture and Chairs.

The office of Coroner Bendure on the second floor of the court house has been handsomely fitted up. Until recently the coroner did not have an office in the business portion of the city, but the supervisors gave him the room in the court house which was not used and the purchasing committee bought some handsome new furniture for the place. The place is divided with a railing, on the inside is a desk and chairs for jurors and witnesses and on the outside are 25 chairs for the spectators. Heretofore the coroner has always held the inquests in the undertaker rooms or at the residences. Now the jurors can be sworn in over the body and then adjourn to the office, where they can have better accommodations. In case there are many who want to hear the inquest there is a place for them to be seated.

Unbreakable mirrors are now made by putting a coating of quick silver on the back of a very thin plate of collaloid.

Royal makes the food pure, wholesome and delicious.



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AN OLD CASE.

On Trial in the Circuit Court To-Day.

THE EDWARDS LAWSUIT

Is in Progress of Settlement—Entries on the Common Law and Chancery Dockets To-Day.

An old case was on trial in the circuit court today. It was that of the Stock Growers' National Bank of Pueblo vs. F. M. Patterson et al. The case is a suit on a note and has been pending in the circuit court for several terms. Patterson and others bought mining interests in the west from a man named Gilbush. They gave \$500 and were to do \$500 worth of work, and as security for the latter gave their note for the amount. They did the work, but in the meantime Gilbush had given their note to the bank as security on another loan. He promised to redeem it but he was not heard from for several years and the bank brought suit. The case was tried today before a jury composed of the following: D. D. F. Doty, Luther Travis, Elmer Troutman, Irwin Vost, Godfried Miller, H. E. Haines, L. O. Davis, R. Butts, August Fehr, J. S. Nelson, U. H. Mooney and Fred Florey. The jury retired at noon and this afternoon returned a verdict giving judgment for \$200 for the plaintiff.

EDWARDS CASE.

The case of John Edwards vs. the Decatur Cereal Milling company was called today. The case is a damage suit. Edwards was employed at the mill and had his leg cut off and brought suit against the company. Attorney Fitzgerald, one of the lawyers for the defense, announced that a settlement was in progress and the case was passed. Judge Vall stated that after passing cases when they came up for trial he would not call them for trial a second time this term as it incurred on the county an extra expense for the jury.

RELEASED.

The case of burglary against Sumner Billiple was dismissed today and the accused was discharged on recommendation of the managers of the state reformatory.

COMMON LAW.

Stock Growers' National bank of Pueblo vs. F. M. Patterson et al; assumpsit. Trial by jury.

I. B. Rosenthal Millinery Co. vs. William T. Wells et al; replevin. Motion by plaintiff to supply files and cause continued.

John Carroll & Sons vs. George W. Powers; assumpsit. Dismissed by plaintiff at its costs.

Joseph E. Eder vs. Decatur Plumbing and Heating Co.; assumpsit. Settled and suit dismissed at costs of defendant.

Wesley C. Shell vs. The Wabash Railroad Co.; case. Continued by agreement.

Zach T. Pope vs. Carrie F. Freeman et al; covenant. Motion to strike amendment to declaration from files. Motion overruled and rule on plaintiff for a copy of account sued on, by first of December, and cause continued at cost of plaintiff.

John A. Dawson, administrator, et al., vs. Wabash Railroad Company; trespass. Leave to file additional counts.

Hostetler and Pogram vs. John H. Gott et al; confession. Suit dismissed as per agreement on file and leave to withdraw note.

Edward L. Pogram vs. John H. Gott et al; confession. Same order as above. Elijah Walker, trustee, vs. Adam Dantnor; assumpsit. Settled and dismissed at costs of plaintiff.

Peter Port vs. W. F. Brown et al; assumpsit. Settled and dismissed at cost of plaintiff.

Joseph O. Merritt vs. James A. Wheeler; trespass on the case. Motion for rule for cost bond. Motion allowed and rule on defendant to justify or give bond by next Monday.

CHANCERY.

G. S. Lyons & Sons' Lumber Mfg. Co. vs. Frank P. Roddy et al. Decree as per decree of supreme court.

H. W. Willoughby vs. Goldie E. Willoughby; divorce. Dismissed at costs of complainant.

John Sebrill vs. Edith Sebrill; divorce. Motion by defendant for injunction and motion allowed as prayed in cross bill.

The People's Savings and Loan association vs. John W. Mullinix et al; foreclosure. Appearance of C. J. Cox entered in writing.

Charles N. Watts vs. Edith Watts; divorce. Appearance of defendant entered in writing.

DeWitt C. Shookley vs. Clara E. Walker et al; foreclosure. Entry of appearance of all defendants entered in writing.

Edie M. Hoston vs. Frederick Hinton; divorce and injunction. Leave to sheriff to amend return.

CARNIVAL PRIZE LIST

Partially Made Out—Fursman in Decatur—Committees Appointed.

The executive committee of the Corn Carnival met at the office of Mayor Taylor last evening and made out a partial list of the Corn Carnival prizes. The list will be completed at the next meeting. The following prizes were decided upon:

will yield the largest per cent of shelled corn, \$5 second prize, \$3.50. Twenty-five ears of yellow corn that will yield the largest per cent of shelled corn, \$5; second prize, \$3.50. Ten heaviest ears of white corn, \$2; second prize, \$1. Ten heaviest ears of yellow corn, \$2; second prize, \$1. Ten best ears of prehistoric corn, \$3; second prize, \$1. Stalk of prehistoric corn having the most ears, \$2; second prize, \$1. Best ten ears of "Silver Mine" white corn, \$3; second prize, \$1. Best 25 ears of popcorn, \$3; second prize, \$1. Best 35 ears of sweet corn, \$3; second prize, \$1. Additional premiums will be given on fancy varieties of corn to be named later.

The best picture made of grains and grasses, artists to select their own subjects. First prize, \$15; second prize, \$10. Competitors must be residents of Macon county.

For best display of foods from corn products, not less than five dishes. First prize, \$5; second prize, \$3; third prize, \$1.

To the residents of Macon county husking the greatest number of pounds of corn in ten minutes, each contestant to furnish his own corn. First prize, \$5; second prize, \$3.

Corn race. First prize, \$5; second prize, \$3. This race will be similar to a potato race. A number of ears of corn are to be placed over a course 200 feet long. The boys are to start at a signal and run to the first ear of corn and run back and drop it in the basket. Then he will run to the second ear of corn and carry it back to the basket and so on throughout the course. Open to Macon county boys. The first 80 names will be the limit of entries.

Other prizes will be added later. All communications should be sent to Bernard Bradley, secretary.

FURSMAN IN DECATUR.

E. S. Fursman of El Paso, who will have charge of the decoration of the carnival building, was in the city on Monday afternoon and examined the building in which the carnival will be held. He pronounced the building and location good and will send his assistant here early next week to begin the preliminary decorations. Fursman himself will be in the city next Thursday to begin the principal work of decoration.

Mr. Fursman decided that the building would have to be oiled and papered and local workmen will begin this work at once in order to finish it in good time before the decorators want to begin work.

CARNIVAL BOARD MEETING.

The Woman's Carnival board will not meet this evening but will meet at the W. O. T. U. rooms on Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock. It is important that all the ladies be present.

FINANCE COMMITTEE.

The finance committee of the Corn Carnival will meet this evening and make the final arrangements for the work in that department of the carnival.

Letter List.

Following is the list of unclaimed letters remaining in the Decatur, Ill., post-office for the week ending October 4, 1898. When called for say "advised."

GENTLEMEN'S LIST.

Allen, Arthur
Anderson, Hugh D.
Paor, David
Brown, Alvin
Bell, J. A.
Brown, Iva
Truett, J. B.
Caldwell, Chas. G.
Callahan, John
Carter, Fred
Carter, Joseph
Cramer, Blanton
Day, Chas.
Deardoff, E. B.
Drewes, Chas.
Truett, Granville
Irwin, W. H.
Jackson, Howard L.

LADIES' LIST.

Albright, Anna
Bach, Mrs. John
Cahn, Anna
Cloyes, Pat.
Cress, Mrs. John C.
Bunkel, Pat.
Dwyer, Mrs. Mike
Franklin, Mrs. J. N.
Freeman, Lucy
Ford, Katie H.

FIRMS.

Chase & Sanborn

PACKAGES.

O'Grady, Alfred
Eard, Thomas E.
W. F. CALHOUN, P. M.

BANK BURST IN NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, October 4.—At the clearing house today the Tradesman's National bank failed to clear. It is stated the bank has gone into liquidation. The Tradesman's is one of the oldest banks in the city and has for a long time past been identified with the wool exchange.

Born. To Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hall of Walnut Grove addition on Sunday, October 3, a son.

Mike Dugan, who conducts a saloon on East Eldorado street, reported today to the police that his bartender had skipped out with his gold watch and the receipts of yesterday.

The workmen are engaged in raising the low jolite in the main street car line at the corner of East Main and Water streets.

SEC'Y GAGE IN COLORADO.

DENVER, COL., October 4.—Secretary Gage arrived in the city today, accompanied by his wife. He comes for the purpose of inspecting mines in Boulder county in which he is interested.

(Note.—There are 80 Decatur people who are also interested in gold mines in Boulder county—mines not fully developed.)

DEATH RECORD.

RALPH GRAY.

Ralph, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gray, died of congestion of the bowels at 6 a. m. Tuesday, at the Anna B. Millikin Home, aged one year.

The funeral will be held Wednesday at 10 a. m. from the Millikin Home and the burial will be at Greenwood cemetery.

Arm and Shoulder Injured.

Miss Gertrude Lynch, stenographer for the Farley Manufacturing Co., fell when attempting to mount her wheel at her home this morning and severely injured her left arm and shoulder. Miss Lynch resides with her grandmother, Mrs. Baird at 488 East Condit street. Dr. H. O. Jones was called and found the elbow so badly bruised and sprained that it was necessary to bind it up in splints and Miss Lynch will be compelled to carry her arm in a sling for a week at least.

C. E. Delegates.

The Misses Cordie Underwood and Fannie Blyans were selected as delegates from the Christian Endeavor society of the First Presbyterian church to attend the meeting of the state convention at Peoria. They will leave on Wednesday morning.

The funeral of the late Robert L. Cochran, whose remains arrived from Spokane, Wash., last evening, was held at the home of his father at 851 North Union street at 10 o'clock this morning. Rev. Frost Craft of the First M. E. church conducted the services. A quartet composed of Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Augustine, Miss Maude Evans and Milton Johnson, Jr., sang "He Giveth His Beloved Sleep," and "Abide With Me." Interment was at Greenwood.

PERSONAL AND LITERARY.

Louis Beck, the chronicler of the South seas, has written a new novel which he calls "Ned Prince, the Super-cargo."

The third centenary of Edmund Spenser's death will occur next year. The poet died in poverty and neglect on January 19, 1599, and was buried in Westminster abbey with great pomp.

The writing of R. D. Blackmore, the novelist, is so fine and small, and the letters are so detached, that a magnifying glass sometimes is brought into use, otherwise it would be almost unreadable to the naked eye.

In college he was famous only for his wild life, his numerous duels, his skill in swimming and in horsemanship, and enjoyed as well as earned the title of a "jolly student." His first encounter with the rector of the university is characteristic.

Charles Lowery, of Portland, Me., at the age of 17 enlisted with his father and five brothers for the civil war. At the time of the Virginia affair he again enlisted, and in the present war he has been a sailor in the blockading fleet off the south coast of Cuba.

Lord Wharncliffe enjoys the unique distinction of possessing more names than anybody else in the peerage. His complete cognominal catalogue is Edward Mantagu Stuart Granville Mantagu-Stuart-Wortley-Mackenzie, earl of Wharncliffe and Viscount Carlton.

Minister Woodford is still in law our envoy to Madrid and may go back there when peace is declared. De Lome hates this country and does not want to come back. Polo does not waste much love on us either, but would not, it is said, be unwilling to come back.

The king of Italy is the only vegetarian among European monarchs, and the only king now living who was ever wounded in battle. In the battle of Custoza he was attacked by an Austrian officer, who inflicted a severe gash with his saber, and would probably have killed him had not assistance arrived.

A terrible punishment has been decreed by the king of Siam to his minister plenipotentiary, Chow Phih Kax. He has not only been degraded by removal from his high office, but he has had his head shaven "for the better preservation of his health," and is doomed to cut grass for the royal elephants for the remainder of his life.

Queen Wilhelmina of the Netherlands, who is a fearless rider, is very fond of reviewing her troops, and a fortnight ago, when reviewing the Third Massars at Gooland, her majesty appeared mounted, in a light-colored habit, and at the end of the parade led her regiment to the attack, amid the deafening applause of the spectators.

AUCTION SHOES By the Pair.

Wednesday, October 5, FROM 3 TO 5 O'CLOCK.

The sale yesterday was a grand success for those who purchased. In the meantime we will sell at retail at cost and all the shoes in this large stock until every pair is sold. Seats for the ladies.

Mike Dugan, who conducts a saloon on East Eldorado street, reported today to the police that his bartender had skipped out with his gold watch and the receipts of yesterday.

POWERS' SHOE STORE.

143 East Main Street.

CLOAK DEPARTMENT.

This Week

We place on sale a nice assortment of high class tailor made Street Suits, new fabrics, new styles of jackets with the latest flounce skirts.

Fine Covert Cloth Suits, Silk lined Coats, \$12.50 suit.
Fine Venetian Cloth Suits, silk lined coats, \$16.50 suit.
Fine Camel's Hair Cloth Suits, silk lined Coats, \$18.50 suit.
Fine Novelty Cloth Suits, Taffeta silk lined Skirts and Coats, \$18.50 to \$25.00 suit.

Silk Shirt Waists.

A big line of Silk Shirt Waists, in all colors, Taffeta Silk and Satin Duchess, very newest styles, \$4.75 each.

Fur Collarettes.

Fur Collarettes to be worn with Street Suits or Spring Jackets.
Sheared Coney Collarette, ten inches deep, high collar, silk lined, \$1.95 each.

KID GLOVES—SPECIAL BARGAIN.

A real French Kid Glove for street wear, embroidered backs, prime stitched, English Red, Brown and Black, 4 large buttons, a regular \$1.75 quality, for \$1.00 a pair.

Bradley Bros
DRY GOODS & MILLINERY
Decatur, Ill.

ODDITIES AND CURIOS.

Blind men outnumber blind women two to one.

The first theater in the United States was in Williamsburg, Va., in the year 1732.

A crooked toe will prevent a man from being enlisted in the army. It has been demonstrated that men with crooked toes cannot endure long marches.

The loud quacking of a lot of ducks on the way to market on a Kansas railroad, annoyed a brakeman. He effectually muzzled them by slipping rubber bands over their bills.

Mrs. Minnie Heinzelman, of Sheboygan, Wis., fell into a trance which lasted for 23 days. Although apparently in deep slumber, she was conscious of everything passing around her.

A four-year-old preacher is expounding the Gospel in Chattanooga. The little orator is a colored boy named Lonnie Dennis, and his views on theological subjects are remarkably interesting.

The daisy did not grow in the southern states until after the civil war. The explanation of its appearance there is that the seed was transported in the hay sent from the north to feed the army horses.

A lonely gentleman, who was matrimonially inclined, sent to the New York post office a letter with this superscription: "Forward or give to a widow, aged 32 or over, with dark brown hair and eyes; height five feet two inches, name unknown."

A young lady in Bethany, Mo., was locked in her room by her parents to keep her from her sweetheart. She has a ring belonging to him, and he had her arrested for failing to return it. He went on her bond in court, and then hastened with her to a minister, in whose house he married her.

SCIENTIFIC AND INDUSTRIAL.

A single banyan tree has been known to shelter 7,000 men at one time.

Texas will have no timber in 15 years if the present rate of cutting 1,000,000, 600 feet a year continues.

The University Press at Oxford has appliances for printing in 150 different languages.

People should never go in the early morning to get boots and shoes fitted. In the latter part of the day the feet are at their maximum size.

A gold-weighing machine in the Bank of England is so sensitive that a postage stamp, dropped on the scale, will turn the index on the dial a distance of two inches.

Telegraph wires will last for 40 years near the seashore. In the manufacturing districts the same wires will last only ten years, and sometimes less.

One of the latest things in surgery is the practice of embalming an injured limb as a substitute for amputation. It is claimed by Dr. Reclus, of Paris, that much more tissue is thereby saved.

Under the influence of hashish, it is said, you know neither time nor space and that if you have your thoughts on some place you have never seen you obtain a clear and accurate image of it.

Green rests the eye; resting the eye often means rest to the nerves; and the refreshment of the eye is as necessary to comfortable life as the renewal of the other bodily forces by food.

To Cure a Cold in One Day.

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c. The genuine has L. B. Q. on each tablet.

Levy of Behavior is the base of all that is good and virtuous—Seneca

REPUBLICAN RALLY



At the Tabernacle,

Saturday Night, October 8.

HON. JAMES T. MCCLEARY,
Member of Congress for Minnesota
Will Speak.

Mr. McCleary will be remembered as having made the greatest sound money speech ever made in congress in 1895.

He will make but one speech in Illinois and Decatur receives that honor.

Every banker, business man, wage-earner and farmer should hear Mr. McCleary.

The Sound Money Escort Club and other marching clubs led by Goodman's Band will escort the speaker.

WASHINGTON CITY NEWS.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 4.—To-day's cabinet meeting was purely formal. No questions of moment coming before it. The President's trip west was referred to.

A reception to be given Friday night to the delegates of the Episcopal convention was announced.

A dispatch came from Paris simply stating that the peace commission had adjourned till Friday.

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500 Men's Suits
Scotch Cheviot
meres, well made
silk, extra wide
coats, at
\$5.00, \$6.50

Men's 18 oz. Black
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Men's finest Sack Suits
Men's fine Dress Suits,
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Department of high class
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2.50 suit.
\$16.50 suit.
Suits, \$18.50 suit.
Skirts and Coats, \$18.50

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Suits, Taffeta Silk and Satin

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Street Suits or Spring

Deep, high collar, silk lined,

Embroidered backs, prime
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500 Men's Suits in all wool
Scotch Cheviots and Cassi-
meres, well made, sewed with
silk, extra wide facing on
coats, at

\$5.00, \$6.50 and \$7.50

Men's 18 oz. Black Clay Diago-
nal Suits, in Single and
Doublebreasted Sacks, Cut-
away Frocks—the best Clay
suit ever sold at \$10.00

Men's finest Sack Suits, single and double breasted.
Men's fine Dress Suits, all the new and stylish fab-
rics, extra well made, equal to tailor's make, at
nearly one-half the price they charge.

We handle the better make and grade of Ready-Made
Clothes. Suits to fit all shapes and sizes, from \$10 to \$20.
Our New Fall and Winter Overcoats—complete stock of
new and stylish coats—from \$6.00 to \$35
Thousands to select from.

OTTENHEIMER & CO.,

The Reliable Clothiers, Hatters and Furnishers,
Masonic Temple Block.

Gun Repairing.

We let no shop in Illinois excel
ours in Gun Repairing.

We have the very latest machinery
and our shop is in charge of a gun-
smith of 20 years' experience in all
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We guarantee all of our work.

Fine stocking, browning, boring
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We solicit your patronage.

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For everything pertaining to the funeral business is furnished at the lowest prices. Call day or night will receive prompt attention. Residence 252 West William street. Residence Telephone 118.

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Sold Only at—

"The Economy,"
221 North Water Street.

LOCAL NEWS.

Davis—Cabs 25c, Trunks 15c.
Baled hay 35 cents, two bales of straw
25 cents at the Lyon Hay Market, 550
West Green street—aug. 11-dm

Arnold's Bromo-Celery cure head
aches, 10, 25, 50 cts. Bell, the druggist.
Section men on the city electric car
line are at work on North Water street
building up low joints in the track.

Rally Day services will be observed at
College street chapel next Sunday.

Geo. W. Ehrhart loans money on
any goods. Collateral, best rates.
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Smoke the Little J. Guaranteed to
contain no artificial flavor.—1-df

On next Sunday communion service
and a reception of members will be held
at the First Presbyterian church.

Photo Goods Decatur Gun Co.

Denz—the Leading Tailor.—aprd dft

Smoke Jo Jo, the best wheeling magic
Three for 5 cents, 100 for \$1.35
L CHODAI'S NEWS HOUSE.

For Sale—A new sewing machine at
one-fourth the regular price Apply to
O. L. Wing, corner of West Main and Pine
street—29-dft

The Helping Hand circle of East Park
chapel will give a graphophone enter-
tainment at the chapel on Thursday
evening

Do you want plastering done? If so
telephone 628, new phone Decatur Hard
Plaster Co. Perry & Oren—5 dft

Off for Mattson to the street fair
Low rates and special train by via the
P. D. & E. Don't miss it.—10-dm

The Woman's Missionary society of the
First Presbyterian church will meet
at the church at 8.30 o'clock on Friday
afternoon. The meeting will be in
charge of Mrs. A. H. Mills. Subject,
"Forecast and Rally"

Kodaks Decatur Gun Co.

You invite disappointment when you
experiment. DeWitt's Little Early
Risers are pleasant, easy, thorough
relief. They cure constipation and
sick headache just as sure as you take
them. H. W. Bolt, N. L. Krone

The quarterly conference of the First
M. E. church at the meeting last even-
ing made appropriations for the hiring
of a quartet choir for the church during
the coming year. The members of the
quartet have not been definitely decided
upon. Miss Nicholls was engaged as
organist for the coming year

The members of Olive Branch Camp,
R. N. A., gave a very enjoyable enter-
tainment and social at the hall in
Powers block last night. Refreshments
were served. The committees in charge
comprised these ladies: Mrs. Jennie
Nicholson, Mrs. Simon Dientzler,
Mrs. W. H. Lincher, Mrs. Knapp and
Mrs. Zimmerly

Menarch over pain Burns, cuts,
sprains, stings Instant relief. Dr.
Thomas' Electric Oil. At any drug
store

Remarkable Remedy.
Miss Michael Curtman, Plainfield, Ill.,
makes the statement, that she caught
cold which settled on her lungs. She
was treated for a month by her family
physician, but grew worse. He told her
she was a hopeless victim of consump-
tion and that no medicine could cure
her. Her druggist suggested Dr. King's
New Discovery for Consumption, she
bought a bottle and to her delight
found herself benefited from first dose.
She continued its use and after six bot-
tles found herself sound and well, now
she has over hundred, and is as well
as she ever was. Trial bottles 10c, of
this Great Discovery at J. L. King's
and C. L. Shilling's Drug Stores. Large
bottles 50 cents and \$1.00

Officers Installed.
Colossal Lodge No 188 I. O. O.
F. at their meeting last evening in-
stalled the following officers:
W. A. Morris—Noble Grand
M. L. Hummer—Vice Grand
Albert Leech—Secretary

VERSES—GRAVE AND GAY.

An Autumn Idyl.

A roval butterfly in the air,
Above a willow's drooping bough—
'Tis a sight to be touched with autumn
know

Fresh from the chrysalis his sickle pa-
trian
Cuckled by the sweet perfume of the
fleur-de-lis
He was a fair Nature's child should
be
So far a thing, to light ten strains bloom
I wait him as he drifts from bud to
flower

The little leaves of a day
Who live and die in the present hour
Until the night's mist in his way

How many times have I with just and
true
Amid my heart full of humming or with
mirth
For, of the wonders of that great here
after

Like some fair soulless butterfly of earth
Oh when the autumn of my life is near
May I in pity send one silver ray
To guide me to His cross strong and un-
fading
When all the light has darkened in my
way
—Ella Bentley, Jr. in N. O. Times Demo-
crat

GIVE THE CHILDREN A DRINK

called Grain O. It is a delicious, appetizing
nourishing food drink to take the place of
coffee. Sold by all grocers and used by all
who have used it because when properly prepared it
tastes like the finest coffee but is free from all
injurious properties. Grain O. aids digestion
and strengthens the nerves. It is not a stimu-
lant, but a health builder, and children, as well
as adults can drink it with great benefit. Cost
about 4c as much as coffee. Price 15c and 25c

SALOONS ROBBED

Whiskey and Cigars Were
Stolen Last Night.

CASH REGISTER BROKEN

And the Contents Taken—Three Sa-
loons Were Visited by Men
Who Wanted a
Drink.

Last night three saloons in the city
were visited by burglars and cigars,
whiskey and money were stolen. The
robbers scarcely got enough to pay them
for their trouble

At Bill Brown's saloon on the levee
the burglars gained an entrance. They
took the cash register out in the back
yard and broke it open and pocketed the
change found inside. Their work of
breaking the machine was useless as it
was not locked and all they had to do
was to open the drawer but they were
evidently in such a hurry that they did
not stop to examine. At that place
they took 300 cigars and \$1.50 in money

William Ernest a saloon on the north
side of East Wood street at the intersec-
tion of North Broadway was also
robbed. The window on the side was
pried open and the burglars helped them-
selves to a quart bottle of whiskey and
about \$1.50 in small change. Mr. Ernest
has been particularly unfortunate with
burglars. At one time his residence
over the saloon was robbed and on an
other occasion about \$45 was stolen
from the saloon

The robberies were all reported to the
police this morning but as yet they have
no clue which will lead to the discovery
of the guilty parties. It is thought that
all of the saloons were robbed by the
same persons

M'INTIRE IS LET OUT.

ST. LOUIS, October 4.—As a result
of a difference of opinion Grand Master
Workman Miller of the United Order
United Workman, has removed from
office Walter F. McIntire, chairman of
the finance committee. The matter
will likely be taken before the
grand lodge for adjudication. Members
of the order question the right of the
grand master to remove McIntire. It
is asserted that the proper course for
Miller to have pursued would have been
to have preferred charges against Mc-
Intire.

A FRAUD.

Supposed Deaf and Dumb Canvasser
Not What He Seems.

A young man, blonde of complexion
tall of stature, exhibiting excellent taste
in dress and a card saying that he is
deaf and dumb is canvassing the town
for the sale of a rubber ink eraser, at
least that is what he started to do yester-
day. At a residence on West Main
street he unfortunately for the success of
his business, ran across a woman whose
acquaintance he had made while work-
ing a similar scheme in Bloomington
one year ago. His story at Bloomington
was that he was endeavoring to se-
cure money to enable him to attend a
school for the deaf and dumb and for
this purpose was selling a preparation
for the removal of grease spots from
clothing. The woman in question
bought a supply of the preparation to
find on attempting to use it that it was
no good whatever. A few days later she
heard of his election from the house of a
friend because of his conduct. He lost
his temper in trying to make a sale
forgot his story and roundly cursed the
lady of the house at which he was call-
ing.

In calling at her home yesterday he
was at once recognized as the same
young man of the Bloomington episode
and she at once recalled their former meet-
ing and he turned and left without stop-
ping to make explanations

MARKETS.

FURNISHED BY R. F. FAYLOR,
CHICAGO, ILL., OCT. 1.

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A Vote for Caldwell is a Vote for
Bailey of Texas, but a vote for Mills
is a vote for McKinley and a vote to
settle the war in the interests of
America.

In such a crisis as this the govern-
ment should be sustained by the
people. Every vote cast for an op-
ponent of the administration is a vote
of censure for the administration, and
every vote cast for a friend of the
administration is a vote of confidence.
A vote cast for Caldwell is a vote
against McKinley and the policies he
is carrying out and a vote cast for
R. Mills is a vote for McKinley and
his policies. These are facts from
which no American citizen can escape.
Only those who are opposed to Mc-
Kinley and his plans are justifiable
in voting for Caldwell.

Ben F. Caldwell has decided that it is
dangerous to himself to make speeches
in this campaign and Ben is about
right about it.

The people fully realize that McKin-
ley cannot be sustained by electing Cal-
dwell and for that reason he cannot be
elected.

The speeches and the great meeting
last night show how the wind is blow-
ing and they also show that the Re-
publicans are not ashamed of their re-
cord.

The Democratic campaigners in this
county are now proposing to trade their
entire county ticket for votes for Cal-
dwell. But the trouble is the Republican
county ticket don't need Caldwell's help.
Every man on the ticket will be elected.

The Review occasionally has something
to say about the Republican being
clowny. The charge may be correct,
but for superlative clownishness we call
the attention of the Review to the white
African's methods of buying votes for
Caldwell.

Ben F. Caldwell needs more than
"both shoulders" to carry the water can
he is trying to tote and as a sequence of
this he needs no more than two legs to run
fast enough to get to congress. The
people are getting on to his weakness
very rapidly.

It was Thomas Jefferson who ordered
the suspension of the coinage of silver
dollars in 1806, and for 30 years there-
after no silver dollars were coined. Yet
Mr. Bryan says every step against the
demonetization of the silver dollar was
taken by stealth.

The Democrats have adopted the
tactics of the Cuban insurgents. They
propose to fight this campaign in guer-
rilla style and carefully refrain from
coming out into the open, fling their sil-
ver banner to the breeze and advance in
solid phalanx against the hated enemy.
They are evasive and prudent, surely.

When President McKinley decided on
an investigation of the conduct of the
war the men who were instrumental in
making the charges threw every
obstacle in his way, but the president
stuck to the task until he secured a com-
mission the country has confidence in
and the examination will be thorough
and impartial.

It will not be necessary for Uncle Sam
to place a price on the head of Agui-
naldo. In case the young man attempts
to make trouble Admiral Dewey can be
depended upon to take him out into the
back yard and give him effective treat-
ment for the overvaluation of his own
importance. About one dose of the
Dewey salicylic would fix Aguinaldo.

The white African is now trying to
concoct a scheme to have the
lynching of Deak against

Mills. The distressing fact, however,
which the white African has discovered
is that all this occurred five years ago
and is nearly as old as the Democratic
declarations for sound money and the
gold standard in 1893.

The Democratic campaigners are try-
ing to trade the entire county ticket for
Caldwell. As usual they have it wrong
as it would be more consistent to trade
Caldwell for the county ticket. Nobody
but moochers want Caldwell elected and
there are serious doubts as to all the
moochers.

It is a little tough on Ben F. Caldwell
to beat him in a district he so carefully
carved out for himself in 1893, but he
was beaten in it in 1893 and he will be
beaten worse this year than he was then,
for the very good reason that the people
of the district don't propose to elect a
free silverite, an anti-McKinley man
and an anti-annexationist to congress
now.

Why was so little silver minted under
free coinage before 1873? Because 18
parts of silver were then worth more
than one part of gold. Why was that?
Because the world's stock of silver was
then \$1,817,000,000, while the world's
stock of gold was \$3,045,000,000. Why
does it now take about 83 parts of silver
to equal in value 1 part of gold? Because
the discovery of "silver mountains" had
increased the world's stock of silver to
\$4,300,000,000 in 1893 and it is still in-
creasing.

In Kansas the Populist candidates for
congress are telling the people that they
did not vote for the war revenue act for
the reason that "it Abraham Lincoln
was able to conduct the civil war with-
out bonds, there is no reason why Mc-
Kinley should issue bonds." This
paltry excuse shows to what deception
the Populist party will resort in order to
gain votes. It is hardly excusable on
the plea of ignorance. The issues of
bonds during the war were as follows:
Acts of July 17 and August 5, 1861,
6 per cent bonds, \$189,381,400; February
26, 1862, 6 per cent, \$514,780,500; June
30, 1864, 6 per cent, \$100,000,000;
March 3, 1865, 6 per cent, \$41,497,100;
March 3, 1861, 5 per cent, \$178,770,100;
March 3, 1869, 6 per cent, \$75,000,000;
a total of \$1,090,961,100. Between July
11, 1862, and March 3, 1865, the debt
was further increased by temporary
loans, certificates of indebtedness, one
and two year notes and compound inter-
est notes, to the amount of \$1,190,601,
787.46. All this was aside from the
issue of \$427,764,400 greenbacks, \$999,
070 demand notes, etc., amounting in
the aggregate to \$456,359,858.29; so that
the total debt of the United States, Oc-
tober 31, 1865, less cash in the treasury,
was \$3,740,896,768.80, all but \$64,776,
691 of which grew out of the expense of
the war. Yet the Populists on the stump
and in their conventions are telling the
people the civil war was conducted on
an issue of greenbacks.

WORKING UNDER COVER.
There is but one legitimate issue in
the present congressional campaign and
that is the silver question, which the
Democrats and their allies refuse to con-
sider settled. To cloud this all-important
issue "in spots," that is wherever it
is injurious to bring it to the front,
the Democrats are making every effort
to alienate voters from the Republican
party by charges of incompetency, neg-
lect of duties, etc., against the war de-
partment. But they recognize the fact
that the silver question is the only one
to be determined by the coming elec-
tions by concentrating all their efforts to
bringing back to the fold the brethren
who have strayed away, and to arouse
the enthusiasm of the faithful and spur
them on to more efforts. They are not
working noisily, but desperately.
Stealth, they hope, will accomplish
more than open warfare. Colonel
Bryan went to Washington, ready to
resign and take the stump. The coun-
cils of war held by the party leaders
during his presence there and in which
he took a leading part, concluded that
Bryan on the stump would arouse the
sound money men as nothing else could
and that victory for them would then be
out of the question. Consequently,
guerrilla warfare was agreed upon.

Robbed the Grave.
A startling incident, of which Mr.
John Oliver of Philadelphia, was the
subject, is narrated by him as follows:
"I was in a most dreadful condition. My
skin was almost yellow, eyes sunken,
tongue coated, pain continually in back
and sides, no appetite—gradually grow-
ing weaker day by day. Three physi-
cians had given me up. Fortunately a
friend advised trying 'Electric Bitters,'
and to my great joy and surprise, the
first bottle made a decided improve-
ment. I continued their use for three
weeks and am now a well man. I know
they saved my life and robbed the grave
of another victim." No one should fail
to try them. Only 50 cents per bottle
at J. E. King's and C. F. Shilling's Drug
Stores.

YOU ought to know that when suffer-
ing from any kidney trouble that a safe,
sure remedy is Foley's Kidney Cure.
Guaranteed or money refunded. H. W.
Bell, N. L. Krone and W. H. Hubbard,
Lewellyn of Behavior is the base of all
that is good and virtuous—Seneca

When you call for DeWitt's Witch
Hazel Salve the great pile cure, don't
accept anything else. Don't be talked
into accepting a substitute for piles, for
sores, for burns. H. W. Bell, N. L.
Krone.

He who reforms himself has done more
toward reforming the public than a
crowd of noisy, impotent Patriots.—
Lafayette

For broken surfaces, sores, insect
bites, burns, skin diseases and espe-
cially piles there is one reliable remedy
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call for DeWitt's don't accept counter-
feits or frauds. You will not be disap-
pointed with DeWitt's Witch Hazel
Salve. H. W. Bell, N. L. Krone.

Some men put me in mind of half-
bred horses, which often grow worse in
proportion as you feed and exercise
them for improvement.—Graville.

BRAVE CORRESPONDENTS.

Admiral Sampson's Tribute to the
Valor of American Newspaper
Men Under Fire.

One particular class of hero of the
late war—the newspaper correspond-
ent—has been almost overlooked in
the blaze of glory that greeted the
home-coming of our victorious troops,
but Admiral Sampson has written the
following tribute of praise to the gen-
tlemen of the press. The valor of
the American newspaper man, as ex-
hibited in the late war, has rightly ex-
cited universal comment. The old-time
war correspondent, who remained
with the commander in chief, miles be-
hind the firing line, has been conspicu-
ous by his absence in the most recent
war. The chronicler of battle pre-
ferred to march where the fiercest of
fighting was in progress, risking his
life for the sake of duty as nobly and
readily as the soldiers. The world has
wondered almost as much at this hero-
ism of modern newspaper man as it
has at the reckless bravery of the sol-
diers and sailors who carried Old
Glory so impetuously to victory. Ad-
miral Sampson writes:

"It gives me great pleasure to re-
ply to your question regarding the
behavior of newspaper men under fire.
I take it for granted that newspa-
per men are not more fond than other
mortals of being under fire; but I have
yet to see one who did not behave in
the best manner possible. They seem
prompted by a sense of duty to ob-
tain all the news without regard to
any personal exposure.

"I know of many cases where they
have sought to gather news first-hand
under circumstances which could be
explained in no other way. Your very
truly—W. T. Sampson."

HARNESS REINS.

They Are Always Made from the
Stoutest of Leather—A Word
About Handholds.

The reins of a set of single harness
are each about 13 feet in length; those
of a double harness about 15 feet. For
business, harness reins are made of
leather, tanned black; the reins of
carriage harness are made of russet-
colored leather.

Reins require to be very stout, and
they are almost always made of steer
hide, the leather of which traces are
made, these, however, being of more
than one thickness. Occasionally
lines for light or for cheap harness
are made of cowhide, but not often;
as a rule the best of leather is used
for the reins, even in cheap harness.
There can be obtained from the hides
of leather suitable for reins strips
from seven to nine feet in length, so
that reins are always of necessity
made in two pieces.

The loops, or handholds, often seen
on the reins of track or road horses
are commonly made of lighter leather
stitched together and then sometimes
stitched to the reins, but more often
secured to them in such a manner
that they can be shifted on the reins
to suit the convenience of the driver.
The three-loop hold, which is called
the Boston handhold, is commonly
used for track driving; the single loop
is the one used by most drivers on the
road. There are patent handholds
made of metal. The wooden buttons
sometimes seen on reins, used as hand-
holds are made in pairs, one button
of each pair having a stem with a
thread out on it which goes through
the rein and is screwed into the other
button of the pair on the opposite side.

TOOK MEDICINE IN WATER.

Irishman Followed the Literal Mean-
ing of His Physician's
Instructions.

Professional humorists of the past
50 years and more have told us a fan-
ciful joke a little incident which actu-
ally happened a few days ago, says the
Philadelphia Record. Teddy Claherty,
of Leipserville, Delaware county, was
not well, and so consulted a Chester
physician, who gave him a simple reme-
dy. "Now, remember," said the doc-
tor, "you are to take a teaspoonful
three times a day in water." Teddy
answered: "All right, sorry," and de-
parted. Several days later George
Leiper, the well-known quarry man
of the town, meeting the physician,
asked him what new fangled ideas in
medicine he was practicing. When
asked to explain, Mr. Leiper said Ted-
dy Claherty had gone to Hildley Creek
three times a day, and taking off his
clothes, had waded into the middle of
the creek, where he had poured a
liquid into a teaspoon from a bottle
and drank it. "I watched Teddy wade
out in the morning," continued Mr.
Leiper, "and when he repeated it in
the afternoon I asked him what he
was doing, and he said the doctor or-
dered him to take the medicine in wa-
ter, 'an', he gab, sorry, I'm mindin'
the directions, but I can't swim a stroke,
but I'm tellin' ye if it's the death o'
me, I'll kape it up." The doctor made
an early call on Teddy, who now drops
the medicine in a glass of water and
takes it that way.

The Jaffa Gate at Jerusalem.

The archaeological world is thrown
into a state of great perturbation over
the approaching visit of the emperor
of Germany to Jerusalem. It would
seem that the sultan in his zeal to
make things agreeable for his august
guest threatens to pull down the
Jaffa gate and a part of the ancient
walls, so that the Kaiser may make
his entry into the Holy City on horse-
back. "The Jaffa gate, although very
ancient and picturesque, is exceedingly
narrow, and quite inadequate—at
least to the mind of the sultan—for the
occasion in question.

Chairs for Soldiers on Picket.
The Haytian government is very con-
siderate of the comfort of soldiers.
Every picket is supplied with a chair.

DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve has the
largest sale of any salve in the world.
This fact and its merit has led dishonest
people to attempt to counterfeit it.
Look out for the man who attempts to
decieve you when you call for DeWitt's
Witch Hazel Salve, the great pile cure.
H. W. Bell, N. L. Krone.

Never Say Die.

Many desperate cases of kidney dis-
eases pronounced incurable have been
cured by Foley's Kidney Cure. Many
physicians use it. H. W. Bell, N. L.
Krone, W. H. Hubbard.

ABORIGINAL ROUGH RIDER.

Some of the Difficult and Astonishing
Feats of Cherokee Bill with
His Rifle.

In the second troop of rough riders,
which was recently at Montauk Point,
a picturesque and notable character
was "Cherokee Bill," who, as his name
indicates, hails from the Indian ter-
ritory, and belongs to the once pow-
erful tribe of redskin warriors. Were
it not for his high cheekbones and
bronze complexion he would pass muster
for a tall and muscular New Eng-
lander. For the Indian origin of Cher-
okee Bill is unmistakable.

Like all Indians, Bill rides his horse
as though he and the animal were
one, and his skill with rifle and revo-
lver is a constant source of wonder
and delight to his comrades. His feats
in marksmanship are the talk of the
regiment. Any of his comrades are
willing to hold a silver dollar for Bill
to shoot from their fingers, or hold
pipes in their mouths for him to shat-
ter with a bullet. With his horse at a
gallop and hanging on with one knee
and a hand he can hit a small target
at a hundred feet two out of three
times with his revolver.

One day some members of his com-
pany were firing at a watermelon in
a field at a hundred yards, and mani-
festing pleasure when they hit it,
which they did about every other time.
Cherokee Bill joined the group, and,
after looking contemptuously at the
shooting for some time said: "This is
what you want to do," and firing his
rifle, he cut the stem almost com-
pletely off.

Bill has taught his horse all the or-
dinary tricks that cavalrymen employ,
and many others which remind one of
the wonderful performances of the
western Sioux. He makes his animal
lie down and become a pillow for him
while he pretends to sleep, and then
tells him to be on guard while he re-
mains sleeping. The horse walks off
fifty or a hundred feet and plays the
part of sentry to perfection. Bill
breaks a stick in order to produce
the noise made by an enemy creep-
ing upon a man's trail, and the horse
returns immediately and paws his
master gently until he is wide awake.

While the regiment was in camp at
Tampa, Fla., one of the most pictur-
esque sights was to see Cherokee Bill
and his horse in swimming together.
The dark copper color of the man's
body made him seem the same hue as
his steed. They swam together and
even played together in the water,
and not until the animal was thor-
oughly tired did it manifest any de-
sire to return to the land.

At Fernandina as well as at Tampa
Cherokee Bill taught his comrades
many queer Indian tricks, thereby fur-
nishing any amount of amusement for
the soldiers of other regiments. On
one occasion he had them all creep-
ing upon a foe, in which every one of
the party lay flat upon his face and
wriggled, wormlike, along the ground.
Their dark uniforms, which they wore
at the time, the Cuban uniform not
having been furnished, made little con-
trast with the earth, grass and bushes
around, and a person at a hundred
yards would never have dreamed that
a body of resolute men were stealing
silently along.

To the spectators it occurred that
had Cherokee Bill been a member of
the troop that was cut up so badly
by the story of the fight in which
Hamilton Fish lost his life would have
been told differently. Instead of
marching carelessly, with much laugh-
ter and conversation, right into a
deathtrap, they would have gone for-
ward with Indian cunning and cere-
fulness, to stumble on the ambushed
Spaniards and stalk the stalkers. What
could not a regiment of Cherokee Bills,
with their unerring rifles and silent
marching, accomplish in a campaign
such as that in Cuba? This question
the soldiers who saw Bill playing
schoolmaster with his comrades asked
each other again and again. —Wash-
ington Post.

Flower Islands of Selly.

A good instance of forsaking the bad
for the good and the beautiful is found
in the occupation of the people of the
Selly islands, which may be very well
termed flower islands, for a large part
of their surface is given up to the
cultivation of flowers, and the great
majority of their people spend their
lives in attending to the plants, from
which the wealth of the islands is
drawn. The inhabitants once had their
occupations. At one time they were
weekers, and at a later period they
went into a more legitimate business
—the raising of potatoes. But the
Channel Islanders took to growing po-
tatoes, and the trade of the Selly is-
lands was killed. Thereupon the is-
landers betook themselves to flower
growing, giving the greater part of
their attention to the narcissi. At St.
Mary's alone nearly a quarter of the
cultivated area of the island is devoted
to flowers. In the month of February,
last year, 322 tons of flowers were ex-
ported from this one island. About 290
boxes go to the ton, each box contain-
ing from three to twelve spikes of flow-
ers.—Chicago Chronicle.

Language of the Modern Jack Tar.

"Marryatt," said a man who had fol-
lowed the sea for many years, "speaks
of the old-fashioned sailor whose con-
versation was a jargon of nautical
terms almost unintelligible to the land-
man as belonging to a class fast dis-
appearing. If the change was notice-
able nearly a hundred years ago, what
would he have thought of the man-of-
war's man of to-day, who will talk for
half an hour without using a phrase
that smacks of the ocean? Why, a cou-
ple of days ago I heard a sailor speak
of a ship 'turning over' for capsizing.
Still, though the language may have
changed, I guess the spirit of our men
is as good as that of those who fought
at Trafalgar."—N. Y. Sun.

One Minute Cough Cure surprises
people by its quick cures and children
may take it in large quantities without
the least danger. It has won for itself
the best reputation of any preparation
used to-day for colds, croup, tickling
in the throat or obstinate coughs. H. W.
Bell, N. L. Krone.

None but Cowards Lie—Murphy.

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certainly interest you in fit,
style, make and price. A look
costs you nothing, and will be
glad to give it you.

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wool, solid blue fab-
ric, vestee trimmed in red and gold,
coat trimmed in gold braid—ages 3 to 8.

For \$3.50 Dark mottled green
and black small
check, trimmed with red cloth, a set in
collar trimmed with light green silk
braid, vestee embroidered with anchor
and square on breast. Nothing as
good has been offered for this money.

For \$2.75 All wool brown and
green very neat check,
vestee of brown cloth, trimmed in silk
braid—ages 3 to 7.

For \$4.50 All wool dark blue
unfaded Worsted,
trimmed with set in blue collar, with
intertwined red and white silk braid on
collar and sleeves, vestee of blue cloth
embroidered with anchor and chain in
silk—about—ages 3 to 7.

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Executor's Notice.
The undersigned having been appointed ex-
ecutor of the estate of J. W. Hammon, late of
the county of Macon and state of Illinois, do-
cessed hereby gives notice that she will ap-
pear before the county court of Macon county, at the
court house in Decatur, at the October
term, on the first Monday in October,
1898, next, at which time all
persons having claims against said estate are re-
quired to present them for the purpose of
having the same adjusted, with proper indica-
tion to said estate are requested to make immediate
payment to the undersigned.
Dated this 2nd day of August, 1900.
MARY HAMMON,
Executor.

are particular in the matter
of dress. It is right that ev-
erybody should be. It is not
necessary, however, in order
for you to dress well that it
prove expensive for you. On
the contrary you will be sur-
prised how cheaply you will
be able to dress well with us,

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anteed goods.



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vestee of brown cloth, trimmed in silk
braid—ages 3 to 7.

For \$4.50 All wool dark blue
unfaded Worsted,
trimmed with set in blue collar, with
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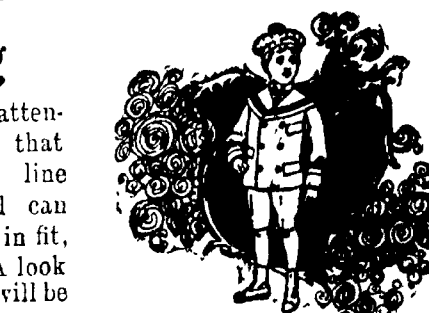
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THE SHERIFF IS SUPREME

SPRINGFIELD, ILL., Oct. 4.—Since troops have been ordered to Panama the question of the extent of Captain Craig's authority has been raised, and it is held by some that the town is under martial law. The Adjutant General is out of the city, but his assistant, Colonel Theodore Ewert, outlined the status of the guard at Panama as it is understood at his office. He said: "Martial law can be proclaimed only by the Governor in a public proclamation. Captain Craig's men are under orders of the civil authorities, and the captain must be responsible to the sheriff, and must report to him. Until the Governor declares martial law the responsibility of the sheriff to maintain peace and keep order does not cease, no matter how many soldiers he may have called for."

DEPARTING FOES.

SAN JUAN, PORTO RICO, Oct. 4.—The Transport Isla Doña has sailed for Spain with twelve hundred troops. The transport P. DeSatursteg sailed today with troops for Spain. It is rumored that Captain General Macias will leave here on Alcázar which is expected daily from Havana. The hospital ship Solace and the Mayflower have sailed for New York. The Spanish government offer of free transportation home to the families of officers has resulted in many marriages of departing officers and officials. Dating from the last day of September the Spanish government declared vacant a long list of civil and governmental positions.

FERRY BOAT DISASTER.

LONDON, Oct. 4.—A special from Bombay says that a Ferry boat capsized today while crossing the Indus at Mittin Kola. One hundred passengers were drowned.

LATE SANTIAGO NEWS.

Gen. Wood's Plan for the Taxation of the Cuban City.

SANTIAGO DE CUBA, October 4.—General Wood proposes to inaugurate a system of municipal taxation, making the taxes retroactive to September 1. The funds of the custom house cannot legally be taken for municipal improvements here or in this vicinity, though the present surplus is \$100,000. Consequently another source of revenue has been obtained. There has been a law to tax and license every business and everybody but since the occupation of Santiago by the American troops these taxes have not been collected. Now, however, minimum rates will be exacted which will bring in a revenue of \$150,000 per month, which is badly needed for local improvements. It is the policy of General Wood to spend all he can legitimately upon Santiago, which is exactly the opposite of the system adopted by the Spaniards. Water in dry season costs 85 cents a barrel. General Wood's plan is to bore artesian wells and obtain a plentiful supply of water.

General Wood proposes the building of boulevards around the city, thus practically extending the limits and making the outskirts the most popular portion, but there is no idea of unduly taxing the people. The general will merely raise sufficient money to carry on the municipal government in a satisfactory manner. Committees consisting of two American officers and two Cubans have been appointed to consider the best legal measures to be adopted under the circumstances. General Calixto Garola called on General Wood yesterday. He proposed going to Washington to advocate General Wood's plan of disbanding the Cuban army. General Wood leaves here today to be present at the evacuation of Manzanillo. He will continue the functions of the local Spanish authorities and all other arrangements. Colonel Ray claims that 70 per cent of his regiment has been sick from lack of fresh beef.

And while securing the guns were hurrying for his consort. Shortly the Vixen came alongside. "I want to report to the commodore," sang out somebody on the destroyer. "Well," answered the commodore, who had come to quarters in pajamas and was feeling chilly in the night air, "let's hear it in a hurry."

"I wish to report, sir, that we have been chasing a locomotive on the beach, mistaking it for a torpedo boat, and that the Massachusetts fired her shot as the train went around a curve out of sight."

Everybody laughed at the incident, and none more heartily than the commodore, who said that it was his first experience in holding up a train. We saw the engine make her trips on the beach for several succeeding nights, but were never fooled again.—Cor. Boston Herald.

Booklet "Arctic Salve." The Best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by J. E. King and O. F. Shilling.

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WIT AND WISDOM.

The man who can say "yes" and "no" at the right time has the greatest command of language.—Tit-Bits.
Chappie—"Barb, how long will I have to wait for a shave?" Barber—"Oh, about two years!"—Truth.
Farmer—"Look here, my son, it is time to repair our mill. The artists are beginning to paint it."—Ellegende Bleatter.
"How much of a standing army have we, papa?" "Very small, my boy. Most of it's lying down."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.
There is a great deal of money spent on cake frosting at weddings, considering the unceasing appetite of a long future for plain bread.—Atchison Globe.
"Yes, sir," said the man in cell 711, "time was when I was admitted to the very best houses." "And what brought you here?" "They caught me coming out."—Tit-Bits.
A person usually leaves his manners at home when he goes traveling, because if he didn't the porters would probably charge him extra for them.—Detroit Journal.
First Politician—"You are a blithering idiot!" Second Politician—"You are a mean, dishonest, contemptible sneak!" Presiding Officer (quite inappropriately)—"Gentlemen, gentlemen!"—Somerville Journal.
Hattie—"I'll go to Scotland. It is perfectly wonderful the way they talk the dialect." Uncle George—"Why wonderful?" Hattie—"I should think they'd forget now and then and drop into English. I often do when I'm reciting Burns or playing golf."—Boston Transcript.

CAUGHT BY THE CAMERA.

Photography Has Come to Be an Efficient Aid in the Detection of Criminals.

By both accident and intention, on numerous occasions, the art of the photographer has proved of immense utility in compassing the conviction of criminals.

An amateur photographer in Chicago cunningly concealed an automatic camera in the tapestried wall of his drawing-room, for the purpose of securing some reliable evidence as to the behavior of certain members of his household during his absence from home. One moonlight night a burglar broke into the house by way of the apartment mentioned. In so doing, he disturbed the spring which set the hidden machinery in motion, and left an excellent photo of himself upon the faithful camera, which, when produced in court, secured his speedy conviction.

In another instance a man who murdered his mother was arrested by the operations of the omniscient camera. The dreadful deed was committed in a forest, where a student of photography was at work. A particularly pretty glen was so admired by the artist that he took three copies of the scene. One of these, when duly developed and enlarged, portrayed the details of the terrible tragedy, and by its aid the culprit was brought to justice.

During the jubilee celebrations a well-known photographer in London took a number of street scenes of historic interest. In one of these pictures, where a vast concourse of people were assembled near St. Paul's cathedral, the camera revealed a pickpocket in the very act of plying his peculiar profession. An old detective, who afterward inspected the photograph, said that he knew the man well. He was badly "wanted" for frauds committed on the continent, but the officer was not aware that he was in London. A week later he was arrested.

A snap shot at a summer crowd on the sands of Margate came out so clearly that the knight of the camera showed it with satisfaction to a number of his friends. Among these was a Scotland Yard officer who discovered among the mass of faces the familiar features of a man whom he had been hunting for months. Taking the next train to Margate, he haunted the beaches until he sighted the fugitive and effected his arrest.

A Portsmouth photographer paid a professional visit to a large garden party at Southsea, where he took a group of fashionable visitors with salient success. During the process of development he observed that in the holy hedge behind the group a rather repulsive human face appeared. A fortnight later a lady purchaser of one of these photographs made the same singular discovery, and averred that the face resembled the face of that of a man who had made a futile attempt to rob their house a few weeks prior to the party. The matter being mentioned to the police, the district was scoured, and the man—who was an old criminal—was arrested and imprisoned.

An Irish housebreaker in Belfast, evidently ignorant concerning the character of the camera, found his way one night into a photographer's studio, on burglarious thoughts. When a large photographic apparatus attracted his attention. More by accident than design, the camera had been left ready for use, and the artless manipulation of the machinery by the curious thief actually produced a picture of himself, which was afterward employed to bring about his conviction.—Chicago Evening News.

Gift of a Colored Soldier. In the ambush at La Quinsina one husky warrior of the colored Tenth cavalry, with a ragged wound in the thigh, coolly knelt behind a rock, and, laughing and firing, and when told by his comrades that he was wounded, laughed and said: "Oh, that's all right. That's been there some time."—N. Y. Journal.

How to Prevent Croup. We have two children who are subject to attacks of croup. Whenever an attack is coming on my wife gives them Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and it always prevents the attack. It is a household necessity in this county and no matter what else we run out of, it would not do to be without Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. More of it is sold here than of any other cough medicine combined.—J. M. Nickle, of Nickle Bros., merchants, Nickleville, Pa. For sale by J. E. King, O. F. Shilling.

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No woman can hope to be a contented wife, the mistress of a happy home and the mother of healthy children who suffers from weakness and disease of the delicate organs that are distinctly feminine. All the airy castles that she builds will crumble into dust, unless she takes measures to correct the disorders from which she suffers. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is a positive cure for all disorders of these most sensitive organs. It makes them strong, healthy and vigorous. It prepares a woman for happy wifehood and healthy motherhood. It robs maternity of its perils and of nearly all pain. It restores children with strong, healthy constitutions. Thousands of women have testified to its marvelous merits. For nursing mothers it is the best supportive tonic. When a dealer urges some substitute he's thinking of the larger profit he'll make—not of your welfare. About six years ago my wife became afflicted with displacement, causing inflammation and much pain," writes Key T. Coppidge of the Knutson Co., Texas. "She could not stand on her feet or get in any position but what she suffered great burning down pain. I got her a bottle of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription which she soon found was helping her, so she kept on until she had taken six bottles since taking the last she has not suffered a moment from the old trouble."

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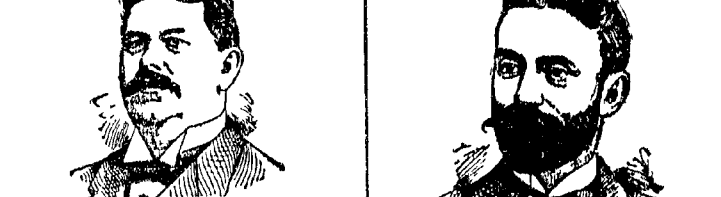
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In the account of Mr. Gladstone's death given in the London Telegraph it was stated that during the last two days, whenever he was delirious, his broken sentences, even his muttered prayers, were spoken in French. It is probable that during his earliest childhood his nurse was French, and that she had taught him to pray in her language.

It is a fact established by physicians that the mind, after a lingering illness, just before death, frequently goes back to its earliest experiences. The first impressions of life are the last to fade from the memory. Aged women who have long been grandmothers, when propped up on their death-beds to sign a will, have been known to write the maiden name, unused for half a century.

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FREAKS OF THE MAUSER.

The Queer Cases Followed by the Bullets After They Struck Our Soldiers.

"Those Mauser bullets did some mighty queer things," said a wounded soldier the other day, according to the New York Commercial Advertiser. "As long as they were flying through the air they went straight enough, but when one struck a man's body there was no telling what it would do. Sometimes it would go straight through him, bones and all, and go on to plug some poor fellow half a mile away, perhaps. And then again it might chase around inside him like a hen with her head out off."

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EMPRESS AND PIANIST.

Josef Hofmann Wouldn't Await Royalty's Leisure When the Skating Was Fine.

Josef Hofmann, the famous young pianist, is fond of all sorts of sports, especially of skating, in which, as a boy, he excelled. "When visiting St. Petersburg a year or two ago," writes Mary B. Mullett, in Ladies' Home Journal, "Josef was summoned to play before the ex-empress, the hour named being from three to four in the afternoon. It was a perfect day. The Neva was frozen over, of course, and the skating was at its height. Immediately after luncheon Josef's father found his son dressing as if to go to the palace."

"Where are you going?" he demanded.

"To play for the empress."

"But you were not to go until three o'clock."

"Three o'clock! If I wait until then it will be too late to go skating. I'm going now!"

"He went. And it is not a surprise to anyone who knows Hofmann to learn that he played for the ex-empress as soon as he reached the palace, and that he then went out and skated the rest of the afternoon."

To Remember Faces.

To remember a face, as a person is called, the rule is not difficult to follow. Pick out some feature or peculiarity by which you can distinguish that face or person from all other faces or persons and associate the same with that feature or peculiarity. No two countenances or figures are alike, and it is by noting how they differ one from another that you will remember them.

Treatment of Mexican Prisoners.

The term of a prisoner in Mexico is divided into three periods. The first is occupied with penal labor, the second is spent in the training school, with small pay, and the third is preparatory to freedom, with paid work and many privileges.

Birthdays Celebrated in Egypt.

The custom of keeping birthdays is many thousand years old. Pharaoh's birthday festivities are mentioned in the pentateuch.

Working Woman's Home Association.

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Past all shame, so past all Truth.

Shakespeare.

GENEROSITY AMONG SOLDIERS.

There Seems to Exist a Sort of Rivalry to See Who Can Do the Most Good.

The sight of war cured the writer of one notion—that the military profession may tend to make those who follow it brutal and cruel, says the Boston Transcript. On the contrary, it seems to make them more generous and kind. It is not to be supposed that it is war that makes them so; it is probable that the removal of the professional soldier from the field of competition for existence among independent workers and "business men" leaves him little chance to fall into that hungry and fox-like instinctive hostility to one's fellows that is developed by the social struggle of existence. All soldiers, whether officers or privates, seem to be engaged, on the other hand, in a kind of competition of generosity. It is a great point with them—a kind of invariable rule of conduct—to be ready to share what they have with others. This rule of generosity does not, of course, save them from doing cruel things occasionally. They have not ordinarily a very delicate sensibility to one another's pain. They do not seem to waste much pity on one another's physical sufferings. They bear their own without complaint, and seldom ask favors when they are suffering. But when it comes to "grub" or shelter they will give a comrade, or even a stranger, better than they have themselves, if they possibly can. And the work of an officer, even in the most active and terrible campaigning, seems to be easily consistent with the finest manliness and most delicate sympathy. And yet we should not encourage war in the expectation of cultivating fine sentiments any more than we should invite yellow fever epidemics simply because a yellow fever epidemic develops fine cases of heroic self-sacrifice.

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FANCY NAMES FOR POISONS.

Danger to Health and Life Lurks in Many of the So-Called Headache Remedies.

In his quarterly report on the health of the borough of Chorley, Lancashire, Dr. J. A. Harris, the medical officer for the district, calls attention to the indiscriminate sale and purchase of the various so-called headache powders. He states, says the British Medical Journal, that under his direction the county police obtained six or seven samples from the different shops in the town and had them submitted to analysis. In every case the quantity of the active ingredient was found to be in excess of the maximum dose of the drug allowed in the British pharmacopoeia. These remedies belong to the class of analgesics, the members of the group in common use for the purpose being acetanilide or phenacetin or para-aminophenol. Their properties were fully considered in the section of pharmacology and therapeutics at the meeting at Edinburgh, where Prof. Stockman (Glasgow) opened a discussion on the "Therapeutic Value of Recent Synthetic Analgesics; Their Benefits and Attendant Risks." There was a general expression of opinion that these drugs required to be handled with the greatest possible care, and that a slight error of judgment with regard to dosage might be followed by disastrous results. All these substances depress the heart's action, and in toxic doses diminish the force of the respiratory act. The danger is not obviated by selling a poisonous drug under a fanciful name.

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EMPRESS AND PIANIST.

Josef Hofmann Wouldn't Await Royalty's Leisure When the Skating Was Fine.

Josef Hofmann, the famous young pianist, is fond of all sorts of sports, especially of skating, in which, as a boy, he excelled. "When visiting St. Petersburg a year or two ago," writes Mary B. Mullett, in Ladies' Home Journal, "Josef was summoned to play before the ex-empress, the hour named being from three to four in the afternoon. It was a perfect day. The Neva was frozen over, of course, and the skating was at its height. Immediately after luncheon Josef's father found his son dressing as if to go to the palace."

"Where are you going?" he demanded.

"To play for the empress."

"But you were not to go until three o'clock."

"Three o'clock! If I wait until then it will be too late to go skating. I'm going now!"

"He went. And it is not a surprise to anyone who knows Hofmann to learn that he played for the ex-empress as soon as he reached the palace, and that he then went out and skated the rest of the afternoon."

To Remember Faces.

To remember a face, as a person is called, the rule is not difficult to follow. Pick out some feature or peculiarity by which you can distinguish that face or person from all other faces or persons and associate the same with that feature or peculiarity. No two countenances or figures are alike, and it is by noting how they differ one from another that you will remember them.

Treatment of Mexican Prisoners.

The term of a prisoner in Mexico is divided into three periods. The first is occupied with penal labor, the second is spent in the training school, with small pay, and the third is preparatory to freedom, with paid work and many privileges.

Birthdays Celebrated in Egypt.

The custom of keeping birthdays is many thousand years old. Pharaoh's birthday festivities are mentioned in the pentateuch.

Working Woman's Home Association.

21 S. Peoria St., Chicago, Ill. Jan. 1, 1893. Our Working Woman's Home Association used Foley's Honey and Tar six years ago, and are using it to-day. It has always been a favorite, for while its taste is not at all unpleasant its effects are very beneficial. It has never yet disappointed us. We wish you all possible success, sincerely yours, L. H. Krohn, W. H. Hubbard.

Past all shame, so past all Truth.

Shakespeare.

SERVANTS IN SANTIAGO.

Elderly Negroes Who Provide for Their Families Out of Their Employers' Store.

Our servants match the kitchen to a T. They are elderly negroes, with families of their own, and, like mother birds, they rightly convey to the home nest every morsel of food not carefully looked up in the wardrobe, writes a correspondent of the St. Louis Globe-Democrat. Their everyday costume is distinctive, if not appropriate. It consists of a single voluminous white skirt, very short in front and trailing far behind, with a low-necked bodice and short, puffed sleeves, leaving the skinny arms bare to the shoulder. The front of the bodice is elaborately embroidered and secured by a string at the top, tied so loosely, if tied at all, that a strip of bare bronze back stands confessed to the waist line. The woolly heads, gray with the weight of years, are topped with gaudy turbans; the bare feet are thrust in slippers of white canvas, and when my lady walks abroad she covers her gaping back with a bedragged white silk shawl. Both women consider themselves monuments to a virtuous industry in consenting to lend a helping hand to the Americans, for they do not, like all their neighbors, but they are not inuring their constitutions to hard labor. When not sitting in the front of the store, smoking cigarettes and gossiping with friends outside, their aimless slippers feet go slapping about the marble floors, like the stars, "unhastening yet untrusting." The slow, monotonous slap, slap, slap of those heelless slippers so wears upon the nerves that one indulges in strange flights of fancy as to what might be the seven angels of the Apocalypse, carrying the seven golden vials filled with wrath, heralded by trumpet notes and wrapped about with awful glory, come knocking some fine day at our front door, slap, slap, would go those same slow feet to admit them.

The vicious old roisterer, Falstaff, in his dying hour "babbled of green fields;" and Napoleon went forth to meet the grim conqueror of all kings, not a poor prisoner surrounded by his jailers, but at the head of his armies—again young, dominant, victorious.

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THE WEATHER.
CHICAGO, October 4.—Illinois: Threatening weather with showers to-night and possibly Wednesday; cooler and brisk northerly winds.

LOCAL NEWS.
Davis' 15c delivery. Cab, 25c.
Smoke the Little J., 5-cent cigar, made by Jacob Kock.
Smoke the Little Joker—5 cent cigar.
Go to Henry's bakery for all kinds of bread, cakes, pies, etc. June 22-dtf
Pictures and Frames at Melchers' Art Store south of the Postoffice.
Buy Pratt's Cereal Bread—Healthful and Economical. A 20 ct. loaf for 5 cts. For sale by all dealers.
Don't miss the Matton street fair. Special train and very low rates via the P. D. & E. Ry.—20-d10t
Princess of the Orient meet tomorrow night at the Temple in Powers block.
A boon to travelers. Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry. Cures dysentery, diarrhoea, sickness, nausea. Pleasant to take. Acts promptly. Sold by all druggists.
Matton street fair October 5 to 8, inclusive. Last year's fair will be eclipsed. None can afford to miss the entertainment which is offered central Illinois in this grand display. Remember that there will be a special train via the P. D. & E. and that very low rates have been made. Call on ticket agent for particulars.—20-d10t
The new brick business block erected by Max Atlas is completed.
See those elegant Chickering and Packard pianos on sale only at the O. B. Prescott music house. They are beauties and can be had at low figures on easy terms.
Tonight is the regular meeting of Decatur Lodge No. 65, I. O. O. F., at 7:30 o'clock. Installation of officers.
Mrs. Dr. Spalding and Miss Frank are patients at the Dr. Ball sanitarium on North Water street.

Only one remedy in the world that will at once stop itching of the skin in any part of the body. Doan's Ointment. At any drug store, 50 cents.
The members of the Woman's Home Missionary society of the First M. E. church will hold a meeting at the home of Mrs. Whitehurst on North Edward street on Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Putting in Sidewalks.
Central park is somewhat in a state of confusion. A force of men are at work putting in the new cement sidewalks. The walks are 19 feet wide and extend from the corners of the park to the center where the fountain is located. The cement is tinted with lamp black and will be dull gray in color which is much easier on the eyes than the glare of the white walks. The park will be greatly improved with the new sidewalks. Drinking fountains which were taken up from Lincoln square are being put in at Central park.

Sales of Real Estate.
J. M. Miller to A. T. Kistley, lot 2 in block 8 of Enterprise addition to Decatur; \$300.
O. P. Thatcher to J. M. Miller, lot 2 in block 8 of Enterprise addition to Decatur; \$350.

HOME VISITORS' EXCURSION
Via Indiana, Decatur & Western Ry., to All Points in Ohio, Indiana, and to Louisville, Ky.

On October 5, for train leaving Decatur at 11:10 p. m., and from all stations for all trains on October 5. Tickets will be sold at very low rates for the round trip and will be good returning 30 days. For tickets, rates, time of trains and full information call on or address nearest I. D. & W. ticket agent, or John S. Lazarus, General Passenger Agent, Indianapolis, Ind.—27-d1d

Work To-Night.
The regular meeting of Chevalier Bayard Lodge, Knights of Pythias, will be held tonight. Visiting brothers especially invited. There will be work in the Rank of Page.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, ss
LUCAS COUNTY,
FRANK J. CHENEY makes oath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. CHENEY & CO., doing business in the city of Toledo, county and state aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE.
FRANK J. CHENEY.
Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, 1898.
A. W. GLEASON,
Notary Public.
Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials, free.
F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by druggists, 75c.
Hall's Family Pills are the best.

FIRST REGIMENT
Go Back to Fort Sheridan to be Mustered Out on October 11.
The Decatur boys who are members of the 1st cavalry, Illinois volunteers, have returned to Chicago to be mustered out. Their furlough expires tomorrow and they will be mustered out of the service on October 11. Will Armstrong of Troop U, Charles May of Troop F and Bob Spalding of the hospital corps, are all members of the regiment. Spalding will remain in Chicago and take a post graduate course at the Chicago Post Graduate College of Medicine.

APPROACHING WEDDINGS.
THATCHER-HALL.
The marriage of Miss Mary M. Hall and O. P. Thatcher is announced to take place at the residence of the bride's sister, Mrs. Winslow, of West William street on Thursday, October 6, at 1 p. m.
FULTON-HIGMAN.
George B. Fulton, the North Water street grocerman, and Miss Katherine May Higman will be married at 8 o'clock this evening at the home of the bride, at 212 West Decatur street. The ceremony will be performed by Rev. W. H. Penhalligon of the First Presbyterian church.

List of Patents.
Granted to Illinois inventors this week Reported by C. A. Snow & Co., patent attorneys, Washington, D. C.:
G. D. Haldin, Maroon, combined pitchfork and shovel, J. C. Courtney, Peoria, system for heating and ventilating houses, W. F. Gatewood, Decatur, churn; H. Mueller, Decatur, tapping machine; W. F. Springer, Edwardsville, flower pot drainer; G. W. Starr, Havana, mixer and vaporizer for explosive engine; C. J. Taylor, Shelbyville, coin chute; R. H. Thompson, Bloomington, mattress-stuffing machine; J. W. Wadell, Oregon, convertible pump top; J. T. Wiley, Preston, bicycle brake; C. S. Wilson, Macomb, cart for transporting fodder, etc. For copy of any of the above patents send 10 cents in postage stamps with date of this paper to C. A. Snow & Co., Washington, D. C.

Kicked by a Horse.
The little daughter of Alderman and Mrs. Drake narrowly escaped what might have been fatal injuries yesterday afternoon. She was riding her wheel on North Edward street and her father was near by in a carriage. At the Washburn crossing both turned to pass a wagon which was being driven by a farmer and as the little girl rode up behind the horses, the one on the side nearest her kicked, striking her wheel frame just below the saddle. She was not struck by the foot of the horse but the force of the blow sent her sprawling into the gutter. Mr. Drake was greatly frightened and ran to her assistance, expecting to find her badly injured. Beyond the shock of the fall, however, she was not injured and is all right today.

Rendered His Decision.
Justice James O'Mara has rendered his decision in the case of Harvey Gredler vs. Green and Mills. Gredler gave Green \$32 on a worthless check and the money is held by Assistant State's Attorney A. H. Mills. He brought a replevin suit to recover which Mr. Mills was not willing to give until after the trial. Justice O'Mara rendered judgment in favor of Gredler and dismissed the attachment and garnishes, leaving the money in the hands of the officers but preventing Green from disposing of it in attorney fees.

Three Doctors in Consultation.
[From Benjamin Franklin.]
"When you are sick, what you like best is to be chosen for a medicine in the first place; what experience tells you is best, to be chosen in the second place; what reason (i. e., Theory) says is best is to be chosen in the third place. But if you can get Dr. Inclination, Dr. Experience and Dr. Reason to hold a consultation together, they will give you the best advice that can be taken."
When you have a bad cold Dr. Inclination would recommend Chamberlain's Cough Remedy because it is pleasant and safe to take. Dr. Experience would recommend it because it never fails to effect a speedy and permanent cure. Dr. Reason would recommend it because it is prepared on scientific principles, and acts on nature's plan in relieving the lungs, opening the secretions and restoring the system to a natural and healthy condition. For sale by J. E. King, C. F. Shilling.

Reception and Entertainment.
The members of the Senior and Intermediate Christian Endeavor societies of the First M. E. church will give a joint social, entertainment and reception at the church on the evening of Thursday, October 13. The literary program will be in charge of the literary committees and the social in charge of the social committees of the societies. The reception will be in honor of Rev. and Mrs. Lyles to welcome them to their duties in the Wesley and Sargent chapels.

Accident on the Square.
While passing over Lincoln Square yesterday A. J. Fisher of 848 Johns avenue, was struck by a buggy driven by Cass Nichols, knocked down and severely injured. Mr. Fisher's left shoulder was broken and one leg was bruised. It was an accident. Mr. Fisher, who is slightly deaf, did not see or hear the approach of the rig and Cass saw the old gentleman too late. Cass took Mr. Fisher to Dr. Will Barnes' office to receive surgical attention.
Gone to Michigan.
Gay Bishop, who has been in charge of the news stand at the depot, left last night on a trip through Michigan in the interests of the Chicago Record. The Chobart news agency at the depot has been transferred to W. E. Rogers, who was Bishop's assistant.

CITY COUNCIL
A Short Session was Held Last Evening.
INVESTIGATION COMMITTEE
Authorized to Try Williams on All Six Charges—A Time Warrant for \$10,000 Will be Issued.

The members of the city council held a short meeting last night. The meeting was called to order early in the evening and it did not take long to dispose of the business. On account of the political meeting the council began at 7 o'clock. Half of the business had been transacted before some of the aldermen arrived.

REPORTS.
The report of the treasurer and city comptroller were read and ordered placed on file.
Marshal Mason reported that during the month of September there had been 72 arrests; fines assessed, \$183; collected, \$116.15, fees collected, \$10.50; paid to city treasurer, \$120.65.

WATER INSPECTOR.
Water Inspector Harry Rutbauff reported that during the month there were seven new water takers and three were shut off for non-payment. Ten new meters were set, making a total of 61 in use. The total expenditures were \$102.22. The inspector asked to be allowed to hire three men to assist him in making a house to house canvass for the purpose of locating if there were any consumers who had not reported to the department and to obtain one man until a new water rent book could be made out for the city. The council gave him the authority.

SIXTH CHARGE.
Alderman Shilling, a member of the committee appointed to investigate the charges against A. W. Williams, the street superintendent, presented a copy of the sixth charge which was placed before the committee when in session a few nights ago. He moved that the committee be instructed by the council to investigate all six charges and that they receive no further instructions until they had finished their work. Every alderman present voted yes.

REPORTS.
The street and alley committee recommended that the old culvert on Monroe street between Lealand avenue and Packard street be removed and a 24-inch tile be put in to connect with the sewer. It was explained that a new tile was being placed in that neighborhood which would give ample relief.

MORE TIME.
H. H. Wise stated in a communication that there was an ordinance requiring him to build a brick sidewalk at the residence on St. Louis avenue. His intention was to build a concrete sidewalk and he asked for more time, which was granted him.

RESOLUTIONS.
Aldermen Higgins and Knowlton offered a resolution that some of the telegraph and telephone poles at the intersection of Front and Eldorado streets be removed as they are not all in use. The resolution was adopted.

TIME WARRANT.
Alderman Young stated that it would be necessary to issue a time warrant for \$10,000 to carry on the business of the city. The water rents will be due in 10 days and that will pay 7 per cent of the warrant. There is already an overdraft and the payment of the October bills will make the whole about \$10,000 and the bank demanded such an evidence of indubitedness. The clerk was ordered to issue the time warrant.

ELECTRIC WIRES.
Alderman Shilling moved that an ordinance be prepared and presented at the next meeting covering the points in the recent report of the city electrician in regard to defective wiring. The motion carried and the council adjourned.

REPUBLICAN RALLIES.
Meetings to be Held Next Week in Macon County.

All Republicans and the people generally interested in the welfare of the nation and Decatur and Macon county in particular, are urged to attend the political meetings to be held at the following towns next week:

Forryth, Tuesday night, October 4—Speakers, John F. Fitzgerald and J. M. Cloney.

Argenta, Tuesday night, October 4—Speaker, I. R. Mills.

Oakley, Wednesday night, October 5—Speakers, A. E. Park and John A. Brown.

Macon, Wednesday night, October 5—Speakers—W. B. Tyler and W. F. Calhoun.

At Town Hall, Austin township, Tuesday night, October 11. Speakers—O. W. Smith and W. H. Black.

At Long Creek, Wednesday night, October 12. Speakers—Edward Wilson and W. E. Redman.

Matton Street Fair.
Call on P. D. & E. agent for particulars as to special train service and low rates for the above occasion. Ample accommodations will be furnished to care for the large crowd which will attend.—30-d10t

THE YOUNG,
As Well as the Old, Endorse Morrow's Kid-ne-olds.
"Mr. Geo. Roper is a young man in the employ of the J. R. Morris Trust Factory, and adds his testimony Mr. Roper says: 'I have been troubled about two years with my kidneys, which caused severe pain in my back. I could hardly lift a pound and I lost several days from my work on account of my kidneys and the pain in my back. I heard about Morrow's Kid-ne-olds and obtained a package from Armstrong Bros., which I used according to directions and which put me on my feet. I consider Morrow's Kid-ne-olds a grand thing and cheerfully recommend them for pain in the back.'"
Anything that stands high in the public eye and is used and recommended by people living in Decatur, naturally excites our attention more than if our own people did not praise the article. Such a thing is going on here every day; our people in all walks of life are using and recommending Morrow's Kid-ne-olds. Ask Armstrong Bros. what the people say who have used them for kidney backache, nervousness, etc. Watch the papers and see the evidence of your friends who have something to say.
Morrow's Kid-ne-olds are Yellow Tablets (not pills) and cure kidney ailments, nervousness, sleeplessness, general debility, etc. Morrow's Liver-lax are very small red granules and cure constipation. Both of these remedies are put up in wooden boxes and are never sold in bulk. They are for sale by Armstrong Bros., druggists, or will be mailed by the manufacturers on receipt of price. Kid-ne-olds 50 cents a box. Liver-lax 25 cents a box. John Morrow & Co., Chemists, Springfield, Ohio.



THE STAGE.
COMEDY TONIGHT
Decatur theatregoers have evidently not yet had enough of the good things in that rollicking piece, "At Gay Oney Island," for in response to numerous requests and after great effort Manager Given has arranged for a return trip of the company to this city. The play will be repeated tonight.

"HELD BY THE ENEMY."
"Held By the Enemy" will be presented at the Grand opera house on Saturday, by the Lorin J. Howard Company. This great military drama is the best of its kind on the American stage today. The splendid opportunity for scenery and mechanical effects, are all realized in this production. War plays are very popular at the present time, and the interest in Gillette's famous war play is increasing. In all the cities where this organization have played, the press and public have given them most hearty commendations. The management in presenting this war drama has engaged a strong and competent company, including Lorin J. Howard, John E. Barrett, K. G. Williams, Warren Ashley, H. R. Atherton, E. Hughes, I. Clark Adams, Eliza Wright, J. H. Wilson, R. A. Donnan, Leo S. Roe, Frank Clark, Lester Hall, H. R. Aiken, Miss Katherine B. Glenn, Emmet Everett, Nellie Florence and Jessie Wellington.

BASE BALL.
NATIONAL LEAGUE.
Cincinnati 8-7, St. Louis 0-5.
Boston 13, Baltimore 10.
Chicago 2-3, Louisville 1-0.
New York 3, Philadelphia 0.
Washington 2, Brooklyn 0.

For the Gilmores.
Rev. and Mrs. Gilmore and daughter Grace will be entertained on Wednesday evening by Mrs. Gilmore's Sunday school class at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Anna Majors on North Mercer street. The members of the class who will assist in entertaining are Anna Majors, John McMillen, Bert Shoen, Will Lloyd and Frank Rixse.

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DECATUR CORN CARNIVAL
It Will be
Oct. 26 to

Committee Appointed
the Novelty Show
--Special--
The finance committee of the Carnival met last evening and arranged the work of securing the necessary of \$3000. The finance committee is composed of W. H. Starr, W. L. Shilliger and Bernard Bradley. The city divided into nine sections and the business interests of the city assigned to their respective sections. A section was put in charge of the committee. The chairman of the committee are as follows: W. H. Starr, Melvynolds, G. A. Stadler, C. Hurst, Henry Elwood, Bernard Bradley, W. L. Shillabarger and David Cloy. The \$3000 which is to be secured for the carnival will be spent in repairing the building on East William where the carnival is to be held, decorating the same and the annex, procuring the attractions for the street amusements. The street attractions will be one of the features of the carnival. It will consist of various kinds of amusement and will be given on the east street corners. There will be music throughout the four days carnival and everything for the amusement and entertainment of the



CORN CARNIVAL
Senator Callom states that territorial government, not the national government, is responsible for the violence. Seventy-five negroes from landed at Panama last night.

Mrs. Potter Palmer, chairman of the Ball committee, will plan to war. Tickets will be \$10. thousand invitations are to be honored in this respect are and Mrs. James A. Garfield the army," whose devotion to Camp Wikoff has prompted

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SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.
E.—On the next steamer from Honolulu General Merriam expects a report from the United States engineers regarding camp sites and fortifications. In the report will be more in the nature of a study than voiding any conclusions. General Merriam when asked what matter said: "Honolulu's position from the enemy's fleet is very important and serious question. The cor